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The Commonwealth.

IT IS ROOSEVELT AGAIN.

Theodore Roosevelt has again been elected as President of the United States. At the time of going to press today there is nothing very definite about Roosevelt's majority over Parker.

The following items give as much as is really known:

New York, Nov. 8.—The people have said that they want four more years of Roosevelt. The country has gone Republican in a way that is surprising to both parties, all calculations being overturned by the enormous popular pluralities for Roosevelt. In New York the figures are so large that the Democrats are silent in the presence of overwhelming defeat. Contrary to Democratic hopes, Higgins, for governor of New York, was carried in on the Roosevelt wave. The Parker vote in Greater New York was surprisingly small.

Connecticut, New Jersey, West Virginia and Indiana came up with big Republican pluralities. It is claimed that every northern state has given the electoral vote to Roosevelt.

Early in the evening Judge Parker was informed that the election had gone against him and he immediately telegraphed his congratulations to the president.

Washington, November 8.—The result of the election was known at a remarkably early hour. The news was ascertained by many Washingtonians before the dinner hour. President Roosevelt himself was among this number. He got back from Oyster Bay shortly after 6 o'clock, and before he had sat down to dinner he had been shown bulletins indicating his election by overwhelming majorities.

At Wake Forest a few days ago some of the students set a trap under the carpet of the chapel rostrum for some of the faculty. Mrs. Vann, the aged and beloved matron of the college, fell into the trap and had her arm broken. Not satisfied with the mischief wrought in the accident to Mrs. Vann, the ill-bent students set the trap again. For this conduct the faculty expelled two students, for which they have the approval of the friends of the institution.

There was a dastardly attempt at Henderson Saturday night to wreck the graded school building of the town. Some powerful explosive, supposed to be dynamite, was set off between 9 and 10 o'clock, which gave sudden alarm to the town. Buildings near by had many panes of glass broken, and the boiler of the heating plant was blown forty feet. There was no clue as to who did the mischief nor why it was done. Such a deed deserves the greatest punishment, and it is to be hoped that the guilty persons may be found and properly punished.

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GENERAL WILSON'S REMAINS MOVED.

Tarboro Southern.

Preparations to move the monument of Gen. Louis D. Wilson to the commons have begun. Today the remains which have been resting for a half a century in the family burial plat on the farm about seven miles from here, now owned by Mrs. Wm. Redmond, were disinterred and brought here and reburied in the town commons on the west side of main street and between that street and the graded school.

Gen. Wilson as is well known died en route to the Mexican war. His remains were brought back and were first interred in the cemetery whereon is now located the Presbyterian church and later moved to where the committee have just disinterred them.

The coffin was found to have been constructed of wood and lined with metal, and all the interior space, not occupied by the corpse, filled with charcoal. The wood had all rotted away and the acids and oxidation effects of earth and water had eaten holes into the metal. The upper portion was easily lifted up and only part of the skeleton was to be seen, a few bones and nothing more, save the teeth, which were in a seemingly perfect state of preservation.

HOW WE CATCH A COLD.

A cold is sometimes contracted while remaining inactive for a while in an uncomfortable room or a cold draft and by falling to sleep under like conditions. But most colds are caught while sleeping too cold at night. Deep sleep causes sluggish circulation which renders the system susceptible to change of temperature. To prevent colds, sleep under plenty of cover. To cure colds use Rydale's Elixir, it lessens the severity and shortens the duration of a cold and prevents pneumonia, bronchitis and consumption. E. T. Whitehead & Co.



GOVERNOR R. B. GLENN.

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NOTES BY THE WAY.

How Things Appear to Different People We Meet.

Rev. R. T. Vann said Monday as he was leaving Scotland Neck for Raleigh that if the fine weather which then prevailed here should extend all over the North on Tuesday, Roosevelt would be elected. He said the Republicans North prefer good weather in which to vote, but the Democrats will vote in any kind of weather.

Sheriff J. A. House says that there is prosperity in his part of the county. He says the crops have come in better than the people once supposed they would. He says that the Republicans in his community have not been idle in the campaign. They did not expect to be elected, but they tried to make as good showing as possible in order that they may have a nucleus from which to work in the future.

MR. H. A. LATHAM DEAD.

Many people in Eastern Carolina were shocked a few days ago to read the account of Mr. H. A. Latham's death in Asheville. His native home was in Pitt county but he had lived many years in Washington, N. C., where he edited the Washington Gazette. He had been living in Asheville for several years.

The following account of his death appeared in Friday's Morning Post: "Asheville, N. C., Nov. 3.—While going to his home in South Biltmore yesterday afternoon about 6:30 o'clock, Mr. H. A. Latham, a well known citizen and business man of Asheville, was thrown from a street car and sustained injuries from which he died this morning. Mr. Latham was standing on the front platform of the car and carried in his arms a number of bundles. When the car had reached a point where another line breaks away to the passenger station, the car bound for Biltmore, instead of going over the switch, struck the tongue and followed the depot track. The sudden lurch of the car unbalanced Mr. Latham and he was thrown to the brick pavement with considerable force. He soon regained his feet, however, and once more boarded the car, apparently little hurt.

"At the terminus of the line Mr. Latham left the car and started to walk to his home, when he fell to the ground. He was given assistance and sent home in a carriage. Examination of the wound revealed the fact that he had sustained a fracture of the skull several inches in length, and death was but a matter of a few hours. He lingered until this morning and died while in an unconscious condition.

"Mr. Latham married Miss Ella Reed of this county, who survives him. He came to Asheville a number of years ago from Eastern Carolina, where he had been engaged in newspaper work. He was about forty years of age."

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State of North Carolina, In the Superior Court of Halifax County, North Carolina, by the Crescent Hosiery Company as plaintiff, against The Mobile Cotton Mills as defendant, for the recovery of the sum of \$2,000.00 due as damages for breach of contract in failing and refusing to deliver hosiery yarn in accordance with a contract made and entered into by the plaintiff and defendant on or about September 25, 1902, whereby defendant agreed to sell and deliver to plaintiff 75,000 pounds of yarn, in which action a warrant of attachment has been issued against the property and choses in action of the defendant, within this State and county, returnable to the next term of the Superior Court of Halifax County, North Carolina, to be held in the town of Halifax, N. C., on the twelfth Monday after the first Monday in September, 1904, it being the 28th of November, when and where the defendant is required to appear and answer or demur to the complaint of plaintiff; otherwise plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded.

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Clerk Superior Court Halifax Co.
11-10-04.

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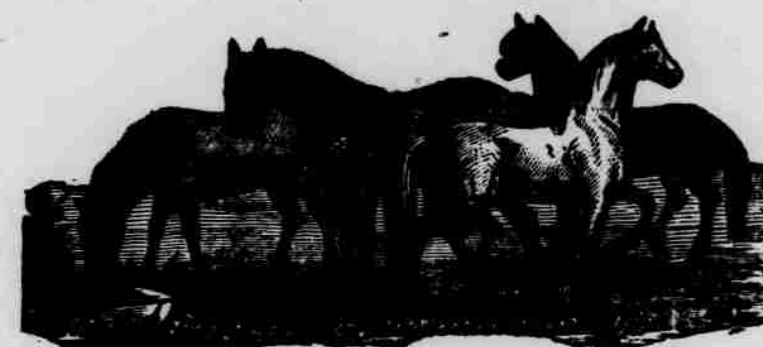
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Notice.

State of North Carolina, County of Halifax: By virtue of power vested in me by that decree of the Superior Court in that action therein pending and entitled as follows: N. E. Sears and J. D. Sears vs P. R. Sears, J. K. Sears and J. G. Sears and wife, Lucy Sears, I shall sell for cash, at public auction, in the town of Scotland Neck, county and State aforesaid, on the 10th day of December, 1904, at 12 o'clock, m., the Remainder in Fee of the following described tract of land, lying, being, and situate in the county of Halifax and State of North Carolina, and bounded as follows, to-wit: That tract of land bounded by the lands of the North Carolina Lumber Company, B. F. Tillery, Miss Bettie Draughan, Peter Powell, the Parker land, Louis Allbrook and the main run of Beach swamp, and containing five hundred and fifty acres, more or less, being the same tract of land that was devised for life to Delphis D. Sears by Wells Draughan in his last will and testament.
This November 7, 1904.
ALBION DUNN, Commissioner.

W. A. & Albion Dunn, Attorneys.
11-10-04.

Notice.

HAVING qualified as administrator, Mac Kay Allen, deceased, late of Halifax county, I hereby notify all persons having claims against said deceased to present them to the undersigned on or before the 17th day of October, 1905, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.
JOHN G. DANIEL,
Halifax, N. C., Oct. 17, 1904.
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